

SECONDARY SCHOOLS — FUNDING

1204. Hon Alison Xamon to the Minister for Education and Training:

- (1) How much money in total was taken from the budgets of those secondary schools with enrolments of greater than 1,200 students?
- (2) From which schools did the money come?
- (3) How much money was taken from the budgets of each of those schools?
- (4) Which secondary schools received additional funding as a result of the redistribution of that money?
- (5) How much money did each school receive?
- (6) Were any funds remaining following this redistribution?
- (7) If yes to (6), how much?
- (8) If yes to (6), how have the remaining funds been used?

**Hon Sue Ellery replied:**

- (1) All schools receive a per-student allocation for each eligible student enrolled at the time of the February 2018 student census. A reduced per-student allocation was applied once an enrolment threshold of 1 200 students was met, allowing large senior high schools to meet all fixed costs and still generate economies of scale to achieve additional funding, but at a slower rate of growth than in previous years.

In 2018, for schools with enrolments above 1 200, the per-student funding is reduced by \$1 145 (13%) for each student above the threshold. This adjustment affected 26 senior high schools which, under the previous methodology, would have been allocated a further \$12 674 005 in per-student funding.

(2)–(3)

	School	Number of students	Number of students above the threshold of 1 200	Adjustment in Per Student (\$1 145 per student above threshold)
1.	Applecross Senior High School	1 530	330	\$377 850
2.	Ashdale Secondary College	1 609	409	\$468 305
3.	Atwell College	1 425	225	\$257 625
4.	Australind Senior High School	1 376	176	\$201 520
5.	Baldivis Secondary College	1 756	556	\$636 620
6.	Ballajura Community College	1 334	134	\$153 430
7.	Butler College	1 849	649	\$743 105
8.	Byford Secondary College	1 205	5	\$5 725
9.	Canning Vale College	1 577	377	\$431 665
10.	Carine Senior High School	1 546	346	\$396 170
11.	Churchlands Senior High School	2 718	1 518	\$1 738 110
12.	Comet Bay College	1 812	612	\$700 740
13.	Duncraig Senior High School	1 437	237	\$271 365
14.	Ellenbrook Secondary College	1 681	481	\$550 745
15.	Halls Head College	1 348	148	\$169 460
16.	John Curtin College Of The Arts	1 645	445	\$509 525
17.	Joseph Banks Secondary College	1 327	127	\$145 415
18.	Kelmscott Senior High School	1 421	221	\$253 045
19.	Lynwood Senior High School	1 294	94	\$107 630

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20.	Melville Senior High School	1 369	169	\$193 505
21.	Mount Lawley Senior High School	1 691	491	\$562 195
22.	Perth Modern School	1 416	216	\$247 320
23.	Rossmoyne Senior High School	2 111	911	\$1 043 095
24.	Shenton College	2 080	880	\$1 007 600
25.	Willetton Senior High School	2 275	1 075	\$1 230 875
26.	Woodvale Secondary College	1 437	237	\$271 365

- (4)–(5) Some of the savings generated through the equity adjustment have been reinvested into small senior high schools. Schools with fewer than 500 students received an additional flat rate \$288 500 in 2018. Those with between 500 and 900 students received an additional amount up to \$288 500 depending on their size. This ensures a greater level of equity across senior high schools. Small senior high schools have received this additional funding through a targeted initiative in 2018.

	<b>School</b>	<b>Small Senior High Schools Targeted initiative</b>
1.	Armada Senior High School	\$164 445.00
2.	Balcatta Senior High School	\$212 768.75
3.	Balga Senior High School	\$238 733.75
4.	Belmont City College	\$7 933.75
5.	Broome Senior High School	\$38 226.25
6.	Busselton Senior High School	\$155 068.75
7.	Cape Naturaliste College	\$94 916.50
8.	Cecil Andrews College	\$186 803.75
9.	Central Midlands Senior High School	\$288 500.00
10.	Clarkson Community High School	\$288 500.00
11.	Collie Senior High School	\$258 928.75
12.	Como Secondary College	\$41 832.50
13.	Coodanup College	\$145 692.50
14.	Dalyellup College	\$71 403.75
15.	Denmark Senior High School	\$288 500.00
16.	Dianella Secondary College	\$278 402.50
17.	Eaton Community College	\$253 158.75
18.	Girrawheen Senior High School	\$288 500.00
19.	Governor Stirling Senior High School	\$2 885.00
20.	Hampton Senior High School	\$57 700.00
21.	Harvey Senior High School	\$288 500.00
22.	Hedland Senior High School	\$38 947.50
23.	Katanning Senior High School	\$288 500.00
24.	Kiara College	\$288 500.00
25.	Lakeland Senior High School	\$155 790.00
26.	Manjimup Senior High School	\$226 472.50
27.	Narrogin Senior High School	\$183 918.75
28.	Newman Senior High School	\$288 500.00
29.	Newton Moore Senior High School	\$119 727.50

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30.	North Albany Senior High School	\$59 863.75
31.	Northam Senior High School	\$160 117.50
32.	Pinjarra Senior High School	\$97 368.75
33.	Swan View Senior High School	\$209 162.50
34.	Tom Price Senior High School	\$288 500.00
35.	Warwick Senior High School	\$178 870.00
36.	Yanchep Secondary College	\$220 702.50

- (6) Yes.
- (7) \$6 217 663.50
- (8) The balance of the funding was reinvested into other support for schools, such as additional education assistants and time for level 3 teachers to provide mentoring and mental health education in classrooms.